

Hopkinton/Webster Landfill Committee
Webster Town Hall

November 4, 2010 FINAL

Attendance: Karen Irwin, Barbara Corliss Bob Lapree, Sally Embley, Rich Houston, Bob Drown and Steve Clough

Absent: Tom Mullins and Richard Kennedy

Public Members: Frank Davis

The meeting began at 7:10 P.M. with Chairman Irwin opening the meeting. The October 7, 2010, minutes were reviewed. A minor adjustment was made to the minutes and Rich Houston made a motion to approve as amended. The motion was seconded by Sally Embley. All were in favor.

Steve Clough updated that more green bags were coming in every week, however, it was still far from full participation. Rich Houston and Bob Lapree, both SMART program designees updated that the bags were available however, the strength was now an issue. Neil was working on that issue with the bag company.

As additional progress had not been made regarding reviewing the swap shop options as to how other towns that had a swap shop and ran their location we reviewed the 2011 budget presented by Steve Clough.

The budget proposal overall had changes in line items however the bottom line was a level budget. Next the question came up of what Jim O'Brien had meant regarding holding the town of Webster harmless for cost increases was still an item of concern for Webster. Steve Clough felt that as long as the bottom line did not cost the town of Webster any more was the important standard. Tom Mullins was not in attendance to discuss further, and we reviewed further reductions to the budget requested by the selectmen of Hopkinton. Action was not taken by the committee regarding the recommendation of the budget.

Public Comments: None .

Bob Lapree made a motion to adjourn it was seconded by Rich Houston. All were in favor. The meeting adjourned at 8:40 p.m.